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Mr. Michael J. O'Neil
Chief Counsel
Permanent Select Committee
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U.S. House of Representatives
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Dear Mike:

Both DDI and DDO have reviewed the "HOUSE OF GOD" publication you sent over. Although not 100 percent certain, they do not believe this to be an example of Soviet active measures. Historically the Soviets have worked very hard to build up Indira and Rajiv Gandhi, not criticize them. The Soviets are also not known to include newspaper clippings with their articles, as was the case here.

In sum, this article does not fit the profile of the typical Soviet approach to active measures as we know it. It is much more likely an Indian opposition political effort.

Sincerely,

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